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For: Polynucleotides Encoding A 6-
Phosphogluconolactonase Polypeptide From
Corynebacterium Glutamicum

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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.312

Dear Sirs:

This Amendment After Allowance is submitted with the payment of the issue fee in the above identified application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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